

claims 44-79 were identified as "New" and underlined. However, the February 27, 2002 AMENDMENT amended each of claims 44-52 by changing the dependency of each of claims 44-52 from claim 27 to a dependency from claim 28. Similarly each of claims 71-79 was amended by changing the dependency from claim 39 to claim 40. These amendments were required because claims 27 and 39 were cancelled in the AMENDMENT filed February 27, 2002. It was, therefore, necessary to make each of species claims 44-52 depend from a pending claim, namely, claim 28. Similarly it was necessary to make each of species claims 71-79 depend from a pending claim, namely claim 40. Since each of the claims under discussion is a species claim, the change in dependency did not substantively amend the respective claims (this is seen by comparing the identical process features of cancelled claim 27 and amended claim 28; and identical process features of cancelled claim 39 and amended claim 40, respectively).

The amendments to claims 44-52 and 71-79 are made in accordance with 37 CFR 1.73(b) (2) & (d) & (c), by presenting each of these claims as a pending and amended claim. The difference in each of these claims is that it is identified as "pending; amended", whereas the otherwise identical claim set forth in the AMENDMENT dated February 27, 2002 was identified as "New".



Claims 44-52 and 71-79 follow:

44. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-2-(4-methylphenyl)-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

45. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

46. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

47. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-2-(4-methylthiophenyl)-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

48. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(4-ethoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

49. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(4-methoxy-3-methylphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

50. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(3-fluoro-4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

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51. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 2-(3,4-dimethylphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

52. (Amended) The method of claim 28 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-1-(4-methylthiophenyl)-2-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

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71. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-2-(4-methylphenyl)-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

72. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

73. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

74. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-2-(4-methylthiophenyl)-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

75. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(4-ethoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

76. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(4-methoxy-3-methylphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

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77. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(3-fluoro-4-methoxyphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

78. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 2-(3,4-dimethylphenyl)-4-methyl-1-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

79. (Amended) The method of claim 40 wherein said compound is 4-methyl-1-(4-methylthiophenyl)-2-(4-sulfamoylphenyl)pyrrole.

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